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SUBJECT
UPHILL — Problems of Succession

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

For your information

Alias WIELAND was in Bonn the weekend of 16 March for the confirmation of his son, and we had lunch together at the American Club 18 March. His most interesting contribution was the opinion that UTILITY's successor would be alias WENDT. He didn't seem to be enormously enthusiastic about it, although he obviously respects WENDT's managerial talents. He said nothing about his own prospects, but he did say that he thought the successor should be a civilian. About the timing he said UTILITY had once told him that he would like to retire at 62. This was around the time of his 60th birthday, and we agreed that such a thing would be easier to say at 60 than at 61. I would still consider WIELAND himself as the likeliest prospect, possibly with WENDT as deputy.

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